

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Serial No. 10/696,688

Title: HIGH VOLTAGE LOW POWER SENSING DEVICE FOR FLASH MEMORY

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**REMARKS**

**Double Patenting Rejection**

Claims 1-28 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-46 of U.S. Patent No. 6,671,206 to Vali et al. Applicant has included a Terminal Disclaimer herewith to address the rejection. In view of the Terminal Disclaimer, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection, and allowance of claims 1-28.

**CONCLUSION**

If the Examiner has any questions or concerns regarding this application, please contact the undersigned at (612) 312-2204.

Respectfully submitted,

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